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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS VETTING FOR US SPONSORED TRAINING  
FOR SHAWKAT - CORRECTED COPY WITH TRAINING LOCATION

¶1. This is an action request.

¶2. Pursuant to the Leahy Act and Foreign Assistance Act, post  
requests the Department's assistance in screening the following  
candidates from the Iraqi Security Forces who has been nominated for  
training in the United States. Post has no derogatory information.

¶3. The name of the proposed candidate follows:

NAME: Amer Abdulameer Hussein SHAWKAT

POSITION: Colonel, Counterterrorism Command, Logistics

DOB: January 07, 1963

TYPE OF TRAINING: International Defense Management Course

TRAINING LOCATION: Defense Resources Management Institute, Monterey,  
CA

DATES OF TRAINING: 30 January 2009 - 12 June 2009

Please note - the course he was suppose to attend is supposed to  
begin January 30th; however he will not be traveling until the  
response for the Leahy vetting is received at Post. His visa  
processing is also still pending.

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